

PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

Resolution ALJ 176-3368
Administrative Law Judge Division
December 3, 2015

RESOLUTION

RESOLUTION ALJ 176-3368. Preliminary determinations of category and need for hearing for proceedings initiated by application pursuant to Rule 7.1 of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure.

Senate Bill (SB) 960 (Leonard, ch. 96-0856) requires, among other things, that the Commission categorize proceedings and determine the need for hearing for purposes of determining the applicable restrictions on ex parte communications and other applicable rules. The rules implementing these requirements are found, for the most part, in Articles 7 and 8 of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure.

Rule 7.1 requires the Commission to preliminarily determine, for a proceeding initiated by application, the proceeding's category and whether the proceeding requires a hearing. The Commission has reviewed the initial pleading of the utility applicants and makes the preliminary determinations of category and need for hearing as shown in the attached Preliminary Determination Schedule, consistent with the requirements of Rule 7.1.

No public review or comment is required for this resolution pursuant to Rule 14.7.

IT IS ORDERED that:

1. The category and need for hearing for each proceeding initiated by application listed in the attached Schedule of Preliminary Determinations are preliminarily determined, as noted.

2. This resolution is effective today.

I certify that the foregoing resolution was duly introduced, passed, and adopted at a conference of the Public Utilities Commission of the State of California held on _____, the following Commissioners voting favorably thereon:

TIMOTHY J. SULLIVAN
Executive Director

PRELIMINARY DETERMINATION SCHEDULE

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NUMBER TITLE	PROPOSED CATEGORY	PRELIM. CATEGORY	HEARING
A15-11-009 Liberty Utilities (CalPeco Electric) LLC, Application of Liberty Utilities (CalPeco Electric) LLC (U933E) for Exemption from the Affiliate Transaction Rules for Its Transactions with Liberty Utilities Service Corp., or, in the Alternative, for a Waiver from Affiliate Transaction Rules V.C., V.G.1., and V.G.2.c.	Ratesetting	Ratesetting	NO
A15-11-010 Golden State Water Company, In the Matter of the Application of Golden State Water Company (U133W) for an Order Authorizing Recovery of Costs Related to the Nipomo Supplemental Water Project From Customers in the Santa Maria Customer Service Area and an Increase in Rates for Water Service by \$391,900 or 2.9% in the Santa Maria Customer Service Area.	Ratesetting	Ratesetting	YES
A15-11-011 AGL Resources Inc., Central Valley Gas Storage, The Southern Company, Joint Application of Central Valley Gas Storage, LLC (U915G), AGL Resources Inc. and The Southern Company for Expedited Ex Parte Authorization to Transfer Ownership of Central Valley Gas Storage, LLC to The Southern Company.	Ratesetting	Ratesetting	NO
A15-11-013 Top Notch Networking LLC, Application of Top Notch Networking, LLC for a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity as a Telephone Corporation pursuant to the Provisions of Pub. Util. Code Section 1001.	Ratesetting	Ratesetting	NO
A15-11-016 Aglet Consumer Alliance, Application of Aglet Consumer Alliance for award of intervenor compensation for contributions to Resolution E-4723 regarding compliance with Smart Meter opt-out provisions ordered in Decision 14-12-078.	Ratesetting	Ratesetting	NO
A15-11-017 Neustar, Inc., Application of the North American Numbering Plan Administrator, on behalf of the California Telecommunications Industry, for Relief of the 323 Numbering Plan Area.	Ratesetting	Ratesetting	NO